# AGENDA PLANNING COMMISSION MARCH 27, 2018 - 7:00 P.M. TOWN HALL ANNEX – 134 GROTON LONG POINT ROAD COMMUNITY ROOM 2

I.	<b>ROLL</b>	<b>CALL</b>

- II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
  - 1. February 13, 2018\*
- III. PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS
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  - 1. SUB18-01 Hancock Farms Estate Lot 1 Re-subdivision, 180 Cow Hill Road\*
- V. SUBDIVISIONS
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- VI. SITE PLANS
- VII. OLD BUSINESS
- VIII. NEW BUSINESS
  - 1. Noank Fire District Referral for Public Hearing
    - a. Spicer's Marinas, LLC, Petition for Zoning Map Change\*
  - 2. Town of Stonington Referral for Public Hearing on April 17, 2018
    - a. Whaler's Inn RE, LLC, 20 East Main Street, Mystic-Special Use Permit for beer and wine sales
  - 3. Report of Commission
  - 4. New Applications
- IX. REPORT OF CHAIRMAN
- X. REPORT OF STAFF
- XI. ADJOURNMENT

Next regular meeting: April 10, 2018

\* Enclosed

NOTE: NO NEW BUSINESS WILL BE CONSIDERED AFTER 10:30 P.M.

# MINUTES PLANNING COMMISSION FEBRUARY 13, 2018 – 7:00 P.M. TOWN HALL ANNEX – COMMUNITY ROOM 2

Chairman Zod called the meeting to order at 7:01 p.m.

### I. ROLL CALL

Regular members present: Zod, Kane, Steinford

Alternate members present: Tarbox Members absent: Pritchard

Staff present: Jones, Glemboski, Hovland

Zod sat as Chairman. Chairman Zod appointed Steinford as Secretary and Tarbox to sit for Pritchard.

### II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. January 23, 2018

MOTION: To adopt the minutes of January 23, 2018 as amended.

Motion made by Kane, seconded by Steinford, so voted unanimously.

### III. PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS - None

### IV. SUBDIVISIONS

a. SUB18-02 - Mystic Weigh Subdivision Modification, 0 Flanders Road

Harry Heller of 736 Route 32, Uncasville, represented JSG Development, developer of the Mystic Weigh Subdivision. He presented requesting a waiver of section 5.4 on the holdback requirement of the lots. Heller explained that the 76 lot subdivision was originally approved in 2004, but has been struggling since the market collapse in 2008. Heller says sales are on the rise, but pending contracts can't be signed due to the holdbacks. Infrastructure in Phases I and II was accepted by the town years ago and now they are in the process of developing Phase III, which will require a significant amount of bituminous. The binder cost of bituminous is down and they have to pave before the fourteen-year end date of May 24, 2018. Remaining improvements are fully bonded with the town, so it will not place the town in jeopardy.

Staff stated that Public Works had reviewed the application and was okay with the release of building permits for Phase III.

MOTION: To approve a waiver to Section 5.4(1) of the Subdivision Regulations to release all building permits for Phase III of the Mystic Weigh Re-Subdivision, Flanders Road.

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The PC understands that the Town has a bond adequately covering the remaining public improvements associated with Phase III.

Motion made by Zod, seconded by Kane, so voted unanimously.

### V. SITE PLANS

SIT18-01: Long Meadow Landings, LLC, 45 South Road- Modification of approved site plan.

Joseph Boucher of Towne Engineering, 1 Richmond Lane, Willimantic, presented the modification of the site plan for Long Meadow Landings. He explained that the building is nearing completion and there are some changes from the 2006 approval. The building needs an increased number of handicapped parking spots and two handicap ramps with access to the six first-floor units and amenity areas. To accommodate the increase in handicapped parking the spaces needed to be pushed to the east and to the north.

Christopher Bicho of 96 Diane Avenue, Portsmouth, Rhode Island, represented Landings Real Estate Group. He explained that the plans had changed for a proposed freestanding office building when Groton Utilities noted that a major electrical line was located in that part of the lot. They had to stop construction for seven years because the lender wouldn't allow them to move forward, but they refinanced and restarted construction. They originally planned a 2,000sqft indoor recreation area, but they have become unpopular in recent years. Instead of an indoor recreational area, they have maintained a fitness center, yoga studio, and a professional office space that will be available to residents. Each new unit has their own washer and dryer and washers and dryers will be added to the communal amenity area available to all residents any time of day. Additionally, the outdoor recreation locations were switched.

Staff explained the 2000sqft to 850sqft change in indoor recreational space was significant enough that they didn't feel comfortable approving it on a staff level. Staff stated that in 2011 and 2013 the flood elevation changed in this area and they had to raise the building up, which created the need for extra stairs and ramping and is why handicapped spaces and ramps have been moved.

MOTION: To approve the Long Meadow Landing Site Plan Modification SIT18-01, 45 South Road, with the following modifications:

- 1. All requirements of the previous site plan by Towne Engineering, Inc. (Date 8/19/2015 Last Revised 9/30/16) shall be complied with unless superseded by this approval. This shall include complying with the additional landscaping as noted on Sheet 5 of 8 of the previous site plan.
- 2. All technical items as raised by staff shall be addressed

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The Commission finds that the proposed recreation areas, while not centrally located, meet the intent of section 6.7-6 G in that they provide a variety of recreation opportunities throughout the multi-family complex.

Motion made by Zod, seconded by Kane, so voted unanimously.

### VI. OLD BUSINESS - None

### VII. NEW BUSINESS

1. CGS § 8-24 Referral of Proposal to Abandon Parkland/Open Space/Recreational Restrictions on the Merritt Property and Relocation of Restrictions

Staff explained that they have worked with the DEEP for over two years in order to find a suitable property to substitute for the Merritt property so it can be used for the middle school. Boulder Heights, the substitute property located at 0 Long Hill Road, is valued more and the natural resources are not less than the Merritt property. The DEEP determined that the Boulder Heights property met the requirements for the conversion; therefore a conservation easement for Boulder Heights has been signed and is now being reviewed at the office of the Attorney General. Once it is recorded, the development restrictions will be removed from the Merritt property. The Town Council will hold a public hearing regarding abandoning the Merritt property as parkland on February 27<sup>th</sup>, 2018. Part of the conversion will mean building a parking lot, mapping trails, and creating a recreational field on the Boulder Heights property.

Steinford noted the drastic difference in appraised value of the properties; the Merritt property being valued at \$450,000 and Boulder Heights at \$750,000. Tarbox stated that, despite the appraisal, the Merritt property is much more valuable as recreation land than the Boulder Heights property and the swap is not comparable.

MOTION: The Planning Commission recommends in favor of releasing all legal use restrictions on the Merritt Property 0 Groton Long Point Road (which generally allow it to be used only as parkland/open space/recreational land) and transferring the restrictions to the Boulder Heights Property (0 Long Hill Road) in order to allow the Merritt Property to be used as the site of a proposed new public middle school. The Commission finds that transferring the restrictions from the Merritt Property to the Boulder Heights Property is consistent with the Plan of Conservation and Development. In particular, the Commission finds that the proposal is consistent with recommendations:

- 4-13 Plan for the needs of the school-age population and the aging school infrastructure
- 4-17 Provide additional athletic fields to meet growing local needs
- 4-18 Develop a park to serve the downtown area of Groton

Motion made by Kane, seconded by Steinford, so voted 3-1-0 (Tarbox). Motion passed.

2. Tax Increment Financing (TIF) Policy draft for Town Council public hearing on February 27, 2018

Staff explained that this was a courtesy referral regarding the adoption of a TIF policy that lays out the types of financing and the process to adopt master plans that will incentivize developers to create improvements. It will be financed by the incremental increase in tax revenue.

Kane expressed concern that some businesses will benefit while others will not.

MOTION: The Planning Commission endorses the adoption of the Tax Increment Financing Policy by the Town Council.

Motion made by Zod, seconded by Steinford, approved 3-0-1 (Kane abstained).

3. Report of Commission-

Tarbox voiced frustration over the inflatable dancing sign at Valvoline. The store has been asked to take the sign down in the past and Tarbox questioned when more serious measures will be taken to ensure its permanent removal.

4. New Applications- None

### VIII. REPORT OF CHAIRMAN

### IX. REPORT OF STAFF

The CIP was handed out to the Commission.

The Zoning Commission will have a special meeting on February 21<sup>st</sup>, 2018, at which the consultant will speak about mixed use design and all land use commissions are invited to attend.

### X. ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn at 8:10 p.m. made by Zod, seconded by Kane, so voted unanimously.

Hank Steinford, Secretary Planning Commission

Prepared by Kara Hovland Office Assistant II



## TOWN OF GROTON

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March 14, 2018

The Day P.O. Box 1231 New London, Connecticut 06320 legal@theday.com

Please publish the following legal ad on March 16, 2018:

## TOWN OF GROTON PLANNING COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the following public hearing has been postponed to March 27, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. in Community Room 2, Town Hall Annex, 134 Groton Long Point Road, Groton, to consider the following:

Resubdivision of one lot at 180 Cow Hill Road, Groton, identified as PIN#261905274949 on a plan entitled "Resubdivision of Hancock Farm Estates- Lot 1."

The complete file and subdivision maps are on file and available for public inspection during normal business hours at the Planning Department, 134 Groton Long Point Road. Dated this 16<sup>nd</sup> day of March, 2018 at Groton, Connecticut.

Jeffrey Pritchard, Chairman

Account #30384 P.O. #17000327

If you have any questions, please contact me at 860-446-5970.

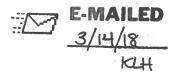
Sincerely,

Deborah G. Jones

**Assistant Director** 

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February 22, 2018

The Day P.O. Box 1231 New London, Connecticut 06320 legal@theday.com

Please publish the following legal ad on March 2, 2018 and March 9, 2018:

## TOWN OF GROTON PLANNING COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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The complete file and subdivision maps are on file and available for public inspection during normal business hours at the Planning Department, 134 Groton Long Point Road. Dated this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of March, 2018 at Groton, Connecticut. (On second insertion, please put "Dated this 9<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2018 at Groton, Connecticut.")

Jeffrey Pritchard, Chairman

Account #30384 P.O. #17000327

If you have any questions, please contact me at 860-446-5970.

Sincerely,

Deborah G. Jones Assistant Director

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### STAFF SUMMARY SHEET

PROJECT NAME/LOCATION: SUB18-01, Hancock F	arms Estates Resubdivision, 180 Cow Hill Rd.					
CAM: No						
STAFF PLANNER: [ ]	SUMMARY DATE: 3/7/18					
TERMINAL ACTION DATE: 3/29/18	PUBLIC HEARING CLOSED:					
EXISTING LAND USE/ZONING: B&B/RU	SITE AREA: 1.005 AC. 43778 SQ. FT.					
SURROUNDING LAND USE/ZONING DISTRICT(S):						
North: Res/RU South: Res/RU	East: Res/RU West: Res/RU					
HISTORY: The subject property was originally that of a colonial/early American homestead and farm. A subdivision application for the property was approved with modifications in 1986. From this approval, 17 lots were developed, five fronting Cow Hill Rd. and 12including the original homesteadfronting a culde-sac known as Hancock Drive. A pedestrian easement and trail was included as part of the project along the boundary between Lots 4 and 5 near the end of Hancock Drive. At the time of approval, open space was not required.  A wetlands permit (IWA86-23) was issued for proposed work in the regulated area near the eastern end of subdivision. The work was related to the installation of drainage works that would empty into a wetland in that area.  The house at 180 Cow Hill Road was converted into an owner-occupied rooming and boarding house known as Brigadoon Bed and Breakfast; a site plan was approved in 1988 for the necessary parking.  In 1995, a variance to Section 5.1-3 was granted for 180 Cow Hill Rd. (ZBA95-6) to allow for an expansion of the rooming and boarding house to 15 guests in lieu of the required 11. This expansion required additional parking which was proposed for the part of the property that is now to be subdivided.						
<b>PROJECT DESCRIPTION:</b> The proposal is for the resubdivision of the lot at 180 Cow Hill Rd. (Lot #1 of the original 1986 subdivision) into two lots and the construction of a single family house on the newly created lot. The new lot will front on Hancock Drive and be serviced by public sewer and water. The existing building on Lot 1 is serviced by public sewer and well water.						
LIST AGENCIES WITH OUTSTANDING COMMENTS:						
[ ]						
<b>WAIVERS:</b> Anticipated: Section 4.8(1), Underground	utilities.					
LAND USE/DEVELOPMENT ISSUES ANALYSIS:  • Sidewalk: As part of the original subdivision,	sidewalks were installed along the southern side of					

Hancock Drive and along parts of Cow Hill Road. Sidewalks along the northern side of Hancock

Underground Utilities: There are existing overhead wires running from a pole near the corner of Cow

Drive are not proposed on the Bicycle, Pedestrian, and Trails Master Plan.

SUB18-01

- Hill Rd. and Hancock Dr. to the house at 180 Cow Hill Rd (Brigadoon B&B). The applicant has expressed concern over having to put these underground as there is--according to him--ledge present. Section 1.10(3) requires petitions for waivers of Subdivision Regulations to be submitted in writing; however, as of the time of this report, none has been received.
- Parking: A stipulation of variance ZBA95-6 is that additional parking be provided as shown on a plan submitted at the time of that application. This parking is currently located in the part of the property to be subdivided. However, the rooming and boarding house is no longer operating at a 15 guest capacity in lieu of the required 11, as was the purpose of the variance. Therefore, as the rooming and boarding house now operates within the regular stipulations of the definition of such as it is written in the Zoning Regulations, the variance is no longer necessary or applicable and will not be violated by the removal of the additional parking as proposed.

Ten parking spaces are required per Section 7.2-3(N); 10 spaces are proposed.

ATTACH ANY RECOMMENDED ACTION, INCLUDING MODIFICATIONS AND/OR CONDITIONS AND TECHNICAL ITEMS.

Staff will have a recommendation at the meeting.



### **TOWN OF GROTON**



LAND USE APPLICATION Part One

PLEASE CHECK T	HE APPROPRIATE BOX(ES	5) AND ATTA	CH THE REQUIRE	D APPLICATION(S):
SUBDIVIS	SION OR RESUBDIVISION		COASTAL SITE PL	AN REVIEW
□ SITE PLA	N		(CAM)	
ADMINIS	TRATIVE SITE PLAN		SPECIAL PERMIT	
□ INLAND	WETLANDS PERMIT		ZONE CHANGE	
□ INLAND	WETLANDS PERMIT OR		REGULATION AM	ENDMENT
NON-REC	GULATED ACTIVITY		VARIANCE/APPE	AL
PROJECT NAME: F	Re-Subdivision of Hancock F	arm Estates -	Lot 1	
STREET ADDRESS	OF PROPERTY: 180 Cow H	lill Road Mysti	c, CT 06355	
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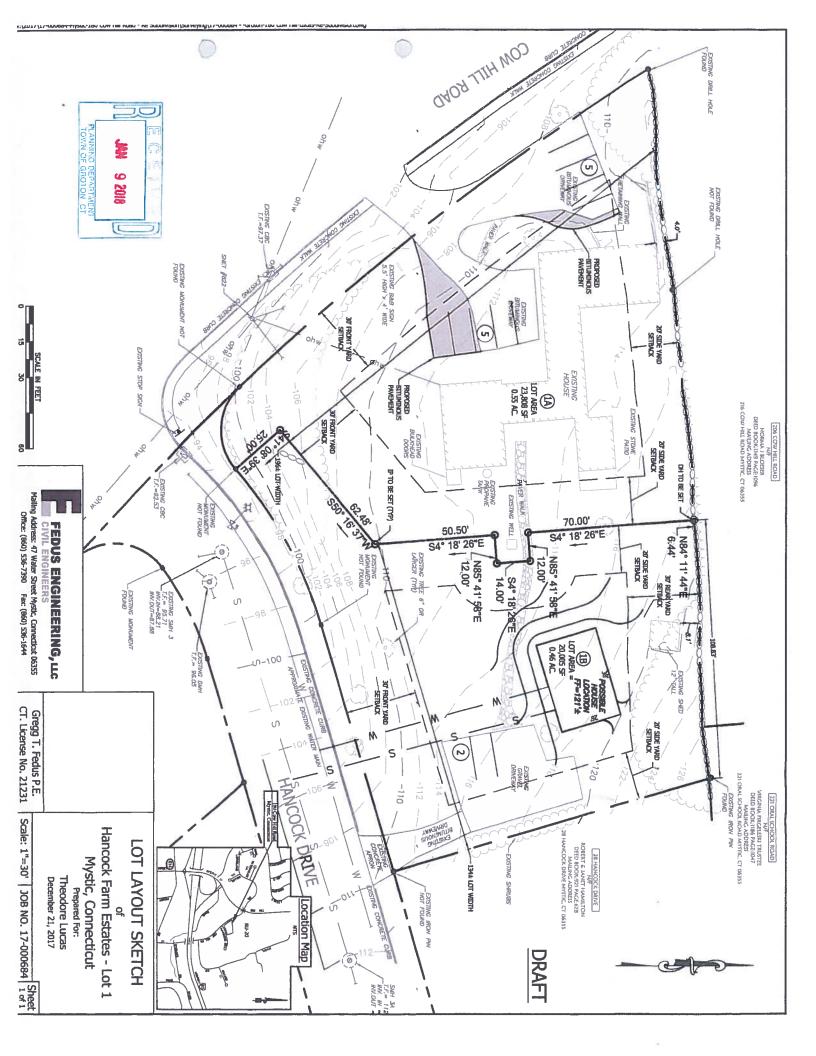
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### TOWN OF GROTON LAND USE APPLICATION - SUBDIVISION OR RESUBDIVISION

### PART TWO (ATTACH TO PART ONE)

NUMBER OF LOTS: 2	ACREAGE OF OPEN SPACE:
ROAD PROPOSED: Yes No WATER  ARE THERE REGULATED WETLANDS?	WELL OR PUBLIC WASTE: SEPTIC OR PUBLIC SEWER
A WETLAND APPLICATION HAS BEEN SU	BMITTED OR PERMIT OBTAINED? Yes No
EXISTING IMPERVIOUS SURFACE (SQ. FT	".) <u>N/A</u>
CHANGE IN IMPERVIOUS SURFACE (+/-	SQ. FT.) N/A
IS PROPERTY WITHIN A CAM BOUNDAR' IF YES, A COASTAL SITE PLAN APPLICA	(? ☐Yes ⊠No ΓΙΟΝ MAY BE REQUIRED.
WAIVERS REQUESTED AND REASONS A	S PER SECTION 1.10 OF THE SUBDIVISION REGULATIONS:
COMPLETE ATTACHED CHECKLIST	6/02





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February 27, 2018

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Re:

Petition for Zoning Map Change

82 Marsh Road

Our File: 7213.197307

Dear Ms. Moukawsher:

Pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes § 8-3, we are enclosing a copy of a Petition for Zoning Map Change which has been filed with the Noank Zoning Commission. Please make sure this delivery is properly date stamped by your office, filed in the appropriate manner, and made available for public inspection upon request as required by state law.

Should you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact our office.

Sincerely yours,

William R. Sweeney, Esq.

**Enclosures** 



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February 27, 2018

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William Mulholland, ZEO Noank Fire District 10 Ward Avenue Groton, CT 06340 TOWN CHERK'S OF THE PART OF TH

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RE:

Petition for Zoning Map Change 82 Marsh Road, Noank, Connecticut

Our File No.: 7213.197307

Dear Mr. Mulholland:

I represent Spicer's Marinas, L.L.C., a Connecticut limited liability company which owns several properties within Noank including the 4.56-acre parcel located at 82 Marsh Road (Pin: 260707790303). This subject parcel currently lies within both the Waterfront Commercial (WC) and Low Density Residential (R-20) Districts. Pursuant to Section 21.2 of the Noank Fire District Zoning Regulations, please accept this letter as a formal Petition for Zoning Map Change to amend the zoning designation of the entire subject parcel to the WC District. The purpose of this change is to provide a single zoning designation for the subject parcel as well as to facilitate a modest future expansion of the boat storage/parking area recently constructed onsite and which supports the nearby marina. The requested change in zone and future project will further enhance and support existing water dependent uses within Noank's coastal area. No disturbance to any tidal wetlands on the subject parcel is anticipated.

In connection with this Petition, please find nine (9) copies of a letter of authorization, a current Noank Fire District Zoning Map with the proposed change highlighted, a survey plan of the subject parcel, a plan depicting properties within 500 feet of the subject parcel, and a copy of the deed for the subject parcel with a meets and bounds legal description. As we discussed previously, there is no application fee associated with a Petition for Zoning Map Change. I would respectfully request that this Petition be placed on the March 20, 2018 regular meeting agenda of the Noank Fire District Zoning Commission for receipt and scheduling of the required public hearing. Due to the fact that this Petition will require referral to both the Town of Groton Planning Commission and the Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection, I would suggest that a public hearing date of May 22, 2018 be selected to allow for the necessary review periods.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

William R. Sweeney, Esq.

Counsel for Spicer's Marinas, L.

**Enclosures** 

NOANK-MAP MARSH RD

### SPICER'S MARINAS, L.L.C.. 93 MARSH ROAD NOANK, CONNECTICUT 06340

February 27, 2018

To whom it may concern:

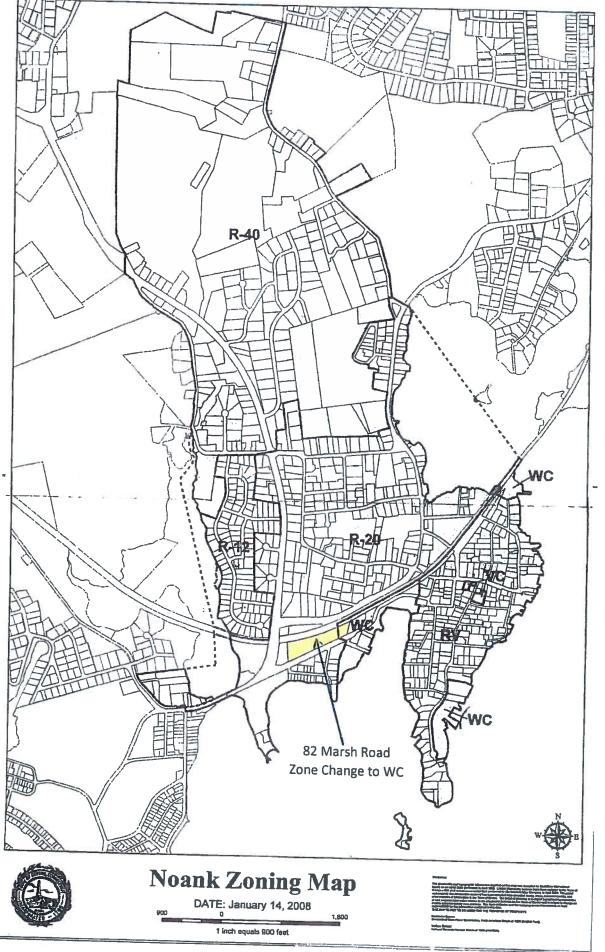
I, William C. Spicer, III, duly authorized Manager of Spicer's Marinas, L.L.C., hereby grants authorization to our attorney, William R. Sweeney, Esq. of the law firm of Tobin, Carberry, O'Malley, Riley & Selinger P.C., to act as our agent and submit any and all applications and extensions for a zoning map change involving our property located at 82 Marsh Road, Noank, Connecticut.

Sincerely,

William C. Spicer, III

Manager

Spicer's Marinas, L.L.C.



NOANK MAP MARSH RO

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#### WARRANTY DEED

#### TO ALL PEOPLE TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

KNOW YE, that I, WILLIAM A. SOCHA, presently of the Town of Groton, County of New London and State of Connecticut,

FOR THE consideration of TWO HUNDRED NINETY THOUSAND and NO/00 (\$290,000.00) DOLLARS

RECEIVED to my full satisfaction of SPICER'S MARINAS, L.L.C., a Connecticut Limited Liability Company with its principal place of business in the Town of Groton,, County of New London and State of Connecticut

DO give, grant, bargain, sell and confirm unto the said SPICER'S MARINAS, L.L.C., all that certain piece or parcel of land, situated in the Town of Groton, County of New London and State of Connecticut, more particularly described on Exhibit A attached hereto and made a part hereof.

Grantee herein assumes and agrees to pay any and all taxes and municipal assessments hereinafter become due and payable.

Being the same premises conveyed to the within named Grantor by quit claim deed of Frank J. Socha dated February 28, 2001 and recorded at Volume 729, Page 169 of the Town of Groton Land Records.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the above granted and bargained premises, with the appurtenances thereof, unto it the said Grantee and its heirs, successors and assigns forever, to it and their own proper use and behoof.

AND ALSO, I the said Grantor do for myself and my heirs, executors and administrators, covenant with the said Grantee, its successors, heirs and assigns, that at and until the ensealing of these presents, I am well seized of the premises, as a good indefeasible estate in FEE SIMPLE; and have good right to bargain and sell the same in manner and form as is above written; and that the same is free from all encumbrances whatsoever, except as hereinbefore mentioned.

AND FURTHERMORE, I the said Grantor do by these presents bind myself and my heirs, executors, and administrators forever to WARRANT AND DEFEND the above granted and bargained premises to it the said Grantee and its successors, heirs and assigns, against all claims and demands whatsoever, except as hereinbefore mentioned.

STATE CONVEYANCE TAX RECEIVED
BETSY MOUKAWSHER
TOWN CLERK OF GROTON, CONNECTICUT

\$1,75 LOCAL CONVEYANCE TAX RECEIVED BETSY MOUKAWSHER TOWN CLERK OF GROTON, CT

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For an additional Ten Dollars (\$10) paid by Grantee, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Grantor, his heirs, successors and assigns, hereby grant and convey to Grantee, its successors and assigns, a Right of First Refusal to Purchase with respect to the premises known as 70 Marsh Road, Groton, Connecticut, more particularly described on Exhibit B attached hereto and made a part hereof. Said Right of First Refusal to Purchase shall apply to the entire premises, all improvements, and to each and every part or portion thereof. The failure to exercise the right, or a waiver of the right, as to a particular transaction or transfer, shall not constitute a waiver or relinquishment of the right as to subsequent transfers or transactions involving all or portions of the premises.

In the event the Grantor receives a bona fide offer to purchase all or a portion of the premises upon terms and conditions that are acceptable to Grantor, Grantor shall submit to Grantee the following information: The name and address of the prospective purchaser(s); the purchase price; the method and amount of financing of the purchase; the anticipated closing date; any contingencies to which purchaser's offer may be subject; and the description of the premises to be sold and conveyed. Grantor shall also obtain and submit to Grantee a full copy of a written agreement signed by Grantor and the prospective purchaser(s) which agreement shall fully state the terms and conditions of Grantor's and purchaser(s)' agreement. All of the above information shall be sent, by hand delivery or certified mail, to Grantee at Grantee's address first above written. Each party shall notify the other of changes of address by certified mail.

Grantee shall have forty-five (45) days from the date of receipt of all of the required information and documentation to decide whether or not to exercise the Right of First Refusal. If the Grantee waives its right, or fails to exercise its right within said forty-five (45) day period, said Right of First Refusal shall be deemed waived as to that particular transaction only, and Grantor may proceed to complete the transaction with the prospective purchaser(s). If the Grantee decides to exercise its Right of First Refusal, Grantee shall so notify the Grantor in writing, said notice to be sent not later than the expiration of the forty-five (45) day period set forth above and include the deposit as set forth in the bona fide offer. By exercising its right, Grantee shall have the right to purchase the premises upon precisely the same terms and conditions as were agreed upon between the Grantor and the prospective purchaser(s).

Notwithstanding the foregoing, if the Grantee waives its rights, or fails to exercise its right within said forty-five (45) day period, and if the Grantor fails to close title on the premises within sixty (60) days after the date set for closing in the agreement between Grantor and the prospective purchaser(s), the Grantor shall offer the property again to the Grantee before transferring the property to the prospective purchaser(s).

The following sales, transfers and transactions may be effected and may occur free of any obligation on the part of the Grantor or any other party to notify the Grantee thereof or to offer the Grantee an opportunity to exercise a right of first refusal. No such exempt transfer or transaction shall have any adverse effect on the Grantee's Right of First Refusal, which Right shall survive any (one or more) such exempt transfer or transaction and remain in full force and effect.

1. Any transfer between or among the Seller, his spouses, siblings, offspring (natural

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or adopted), heirs or descendants, or trust for their benefit, by deed, will, or any form of descent or for distribution, or to or among any corporation, limited partnership, limited liability company, partnership or other legally recognized entity the controlling interest in which is held by the Grantees, their spouses, offspring, heirs or descendants (in the event of such transfer, Seller shall give notice thereof to the Buyer, in writing, within thirty (30) days from the date thereof, which notice shall include the name and address of any such transferee);

2. Any bona fide mortgage or consensual security interest given by the Seller or by any party within the scope of the preceding paragraph 1.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this # day of August in the year of our Lord two thousand sixteen.

State of Connecticut

State of County of New London

State of County of New London

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On this the Hay of August, 2016, before me, Richard S. Cody, the undersigned officer, personally appeared, WILLIAM A. SOCHA, known to me (or satisfactorily proven) to be the persons whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged that he executed the same for the purposes therein contained as his free act and deed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and official seal.

Commissioner of the Superior Court

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#### EXHIBIT A

First Tract:

A certain piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in the Town of Groton, County of New London and State of Connecticut, known as 82 Marsh Road, Noank, being off the north side of said Marsh Road and being triangular in shape, more perticularly bounded as follows:

NORTH: by land of the National Railroad Passenger Corporation (formerly of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company);
SOUTHEAST: by other land of William A. Socha (formerly of Frank Socha); and by other land of William A. Socha (formerly of Frank Socha and

previously of Sidney A. Miner).

Said property includes a right-of-way from said premises over the land of William A. Socha to Marah Road.

Being the first percel devised to Frank J. Socha and William A. Socha under the will of Frank Socha, as shown in a probate court certificate of devise dated July 24, 1997 and recorded in the Greton Land Records at Volume 647, Pago 600; and being the first parcel devised to Frank J. Sochs and William A. Sochs under the will of Evelyn S. Sochs, as shown in a probate court certificate of devise dated February 27, 1991 and recorded in said land records at Volume 525, Page 136.

Said property is subject to the following:

- (1) A deferred sewer assessment in the amount of \$13,967.18 levied by the Groton Sewer Authority on April 21, 1977, as shown in a notice dated March 20, 1978 and recorded in said land records at Volume 316,
- (2) A sewer use charge in the amount of \$144.00 in favor of the Groton Sewer Authority, as shown in a notice dated July 5, 1994 and recorded in said land records at Volume 592, Page 157.

All that certain plot, piece or parcel of lami situated, lying and being on the southern side of land of The National Railroad Passenger Corporation (formerly of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company) in the Town of Groton, County of New London and State of Connecticut, more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southern side of the said railroad land where the same intersects the southwestern corner of other land of William A. Socha (formerly of Hazel L Main); thence southeasterly approximately 250 feet, more or less, along said other land of William A. Socha to a point where the boundary line of said Socha land meets the western boundary line of other land of William A. Socha (formerly of J. W. Fleishmen and Frank Socha); thence southerly along other Socha land to a point where the same meets the northern. boundary line of the Town of Groton old trolley line; thence westerly along the northern boundary line of land of the Town of Groton old trolley line approximately 950 feet to land of the Town of Groton (furmerly of Charles B. Graves Estate); thence northerly along the centern boundary line of land of the Town of Groton to the southern boundary line of land of said railroad; and thence northeasterly along said railroad land to the point of beginning.

Said property is subject to any easements and restrictive covenants of record, as set forth in a certain deed from Sidney A. Miner recorded in said land records.

Being the second parcel devised to Frank J. Sochs and William A. Sochs under the will of Frank Sochs, as shown in a probate court certificate of devise dated July 24, 1997 and recorded in the Groton Land Records at Volume 647, Page 600.

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#### EXHIBIT B

Third Tract

That certain tract of land, with the buildings thereon standing, situated in the Town of Groton, County of.

New London and State of Connecticut, known as 70 Marsh Road, Noank, and more particularly bounded and

-described as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of the premises at the intersection of land of The National Railroad Passenger Corporation (formerly of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company) and the frequent highway known as Groton Long Point Road leading from Groton Long Point to Prospect Hill Road; thence run westerly by and along said Railroad Company land to land of William A. Socha known as 82 Migrak Road (formerly of Frank Socha and Evelyn S. Socha); thence run southerly by and with said Socha land to other land of William A. Socha (formerly of Paul Delucatini, et uc.); thence run southwesterly and westerly by and with said Socha land to other land of William A. Socha (formerly of John Daboll); thence run southerly or southeasterly by and with said Socha land to Marsh Road (formerly land of the Groton and Stonington Street Railway Company); thence run easterly by and with Marsh Road to the centerline of the former highway known as Groton Long Point Road; thence run northerly along the centerline of said firmer highway known as Groton Long Point Road; thence run northerly along the centerline of said firmer highway to the point or place of beginning.

Said property is conveyed subject to the existing right-of-way between land formerly of Frank Socha and Evelyn S. Socha and Marsh Road.

Being the same property conveyed to Frank J. Socha and William A. Socha by the following two deeds of Frank Socha: (1) dated December 28, 1987 and recorded in the Groton Land Records at Volume 459, Page 361; and (2) dated Jamusry 1, 1988 and recorded in said land records at Volume 459, Page 693.

Said premises are subject to any and all provisions of any ordinance, municipal regulation, public or private law, zoning, conservation, and inland-wetland regulation, and all taxes and/or municipal assessments hereafter coming due.

Received for Record at Groton, CT
On 08/04/2016 At 12:39:56 pm

Attest: Betsy Moukawsher, Town Clerk

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### TOWN OF STONINGTON

Department of Planning 152 Elm Street Stonington, Connecticut 06378 (860) 535-5095 • Fax (860) 535-1023

March 12, 2018

Ms. Betsy Moukawsher Town Clerk Town of Groton 45 Fort Hill Road Groton, CT 06340-4394



Subject:

PZ1806SUP Whaler's Inn RE, LLC (W. Sweeney) - Special Use Permit application to allow beer and wine sales limited to the new lobby area of the Whaler's Inn. Property located at 20 East Main St., Mystic. Assessors Map 182 Block 4 Lot 13. Zone DB-5.

Dear Ms. Moukawsher:

I am writing to inform you that the above-referenced application has been scheduled for a Public Hearing to be held at the Mystic Middle School, 204 Mistuxet Ave., Mystic, Connecticut, on Tuesday, April 17, 2018. Public Hearings are scheduled to begin at 7:30 p.m.

The enclosed Notice of Public Hearing is being referred to your municipality in accordance with Section 8-7d(f) of the Connecticut General Statutes. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Department of Planning at 860.535.5095.

Sincerely,

Gayle Phoenix, CZET

Land Use Application Facilitator

Enclosure: application

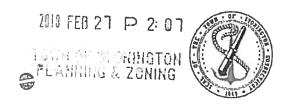


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Town of Stonington
Planning and Zoning Commission

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## SPECIAL USE PERMIT APPLICATION FORM



Please submit original and 15 copies of this application, relevant plans and impact statement

Application Herriber	PZ180650	Official Date	of Receipt 3/	20/18				
Applicant:	Whaler's Inn Re	LLC						
Mailing Address:	20 East Main Str	eet, Mystic, CT 063	355					
Telephone Number:	(860) 536-1506							
Email Address:	amanda@whaler	sinnmystic.com						
Property Owner:	Whaler's Inn Re	LLC						
Mailing Address:	20 East Main Street, Mystic, CT 06355							
Telephone Number:	(860) 536-1506							
Email Address:	amanda@whaler	amanda@whalersinnmystic.com						
Project Leader*:	William R. Swee	William R. Sweeney, Esq.						
Mailing Address:	TCORS, P.C., F	TCORS, P.C., P.O. Box 58, New London, CT 06320						
Telephone Number:	(860) 447-0335							
Email Address:	wrsweeney@tec	ors.com						
Property Location:	20 East Main S	treet		······································				
Parcel Information:	Map 182	Block 4	Lot 13					
Zoning District:	DB-5	Lot Size:	0.77 acres					

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<sup>\*</sup> Project Leader is the Architect, Attorney, Engineer, Landscape Architect, Surveyor, or other individual who will be the responsible contact person with the Town.

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Fire District:	Mystic		Harbor M	anagement District:	Mystic		
Water Supply:	X Public	Private		Sewage Disposal:	X Public	☐ Private	
Flood Zone:	AE(11)			Wetlands:	Tidal	Inland	
Is any portion of the	property wit	hin 500 fee	t of the Tow	n Boundary?	X Yes	No	
Is any portion of the	property wit	hin the CAN	A Overlay Di	strict?	X Yes	No	
Is any portion of the property within the GPP Overlay District?							
Project Description: Overall development size in square feet, dimensions, intended use and other pertinent information about the proposal.							
Applicant seeks ap	proval for t	he sale of h	eer and wi	ne within the lobby	of the exis	ting hotel	
pursuant to Section	4.1.3.10.						
List all previous petiti Zoning Commission, 2	ions that have loning Board	e been made of Appeals o	e with respe r Inland Wet	et to the property(ies)	before the	Planning and	
See attached.							
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### For Special Use Permit Applications involving a Site Plan Review, please read and endorse below

I hereby consent to one or more extensions of the time period as stated in the Connecticut General Statutes Section 8-7d, if required, for action by the Planning and Zoning Commission, on action pertaining to the Site Plan Review component of the Special Use Permit.

Whaler's Inn Re LLC Amende Hilling	2/26/18	
Applicant Signature	Date	• ;
Whaler's Inn Re LLC Amende Kiling	2/26/18	
Owner Signature	Date	
William R. Sweeney, Esq.	11 m R - 2/2	6/18
Project Leader Signature	Date	. •

Acknowledgement of financial responsibility for required studies, information and/or third party review

The undersigned acknowledges that per Section 3.9.3 of the Town of Stonington Planning and Zoning Fee Ordinance the Town will collect payment for direct costs of materials and services performed by professionals, other than Town employees, including but not limited to specialized inspection, third party professional certifications, legal, stenographic and transcription services associated with an application, or require an applicant to provide certifications, inspections, and/or professional consultant reports at the applicant's expense. The payment of additional costs shall not prohibit the Town of Stonington from requiring performance or forfeiture bonds to ensure the successful completion of all work as may be prescribed in the respective land use regulations.

Whaler's Inn Re LLC Amende Rolling	2/26/18
Applicant Signature	Date
Whaler's Inn Re LLC Amanda Kiling	2/26/18
Owner Signature	Date
William R. Sweeney, Esq.	MmRx 2/26/18
Project Leader Signature	Date

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### **SPECIAL USE PERMIT - Complete Application Checklist**

Effective June 21, 2004; Revised July 20, 2010

### X = ITEM PROVIDED W = WAIVER REQUESTED

X	Impact Statement per Section 8.8.1 (ZR 6.1.2.1)
W	Type 2 Site Plan per Sections 8.3 and 8.4 (ZR 6.1.2.2)
W	Architectural Elevation Drawings & Landscape Plan per Section 2.16 (ZR 6.1.2.3)
W	Water Impact Study (Quality and Quantity) (ZR 6.1.2.4.1)
W	Sanitary Sewer Impact Study (ZR 6.1.2.4.2)
W	Stormwater Drainage Analysis per Section 8.4.2.6 (ZR 6.1.2.4.3)
W	Erosion & Sedimentation Control Report per Section 7.6 (ZR 6.1.2.4.4)
W	Traffic Impact Study per Section 6.6.23 (ZR 6.1.2.4.5)
W	Archaeological Study per Section 6.6.24 (ZR 6.1.2.4.6)
W	Soils Report, Test Pit Data and Mapping (ZR 6.1.2.4.7)
W	Shadow Plan per Section 7.14.2 (ZR 6.1.2.5)
W	Scaled 3-Dimensional Model or Graphic Equivalent per Section 6.2 (ZR 6.1.2.6.1)
W	Flood Hazard Report per Section 7.7 (ZR 6.1.2.6.2)
W	School Impact Evaluation Report (ZR 6.1.2.6.3)
X	Application Fee per Town Ordinance – See ZR Appendix 3 (ZR 6.1.2.7)
X	Legal Description of property/site (ZR 6.1.2.8)
W	Phasing Requirements for projects over 24 dwelling units per ZR 6.2 (ZR 6.1.2.9)
X	Written waiver request(s) at time of application submission (7R 6.1.2.10)

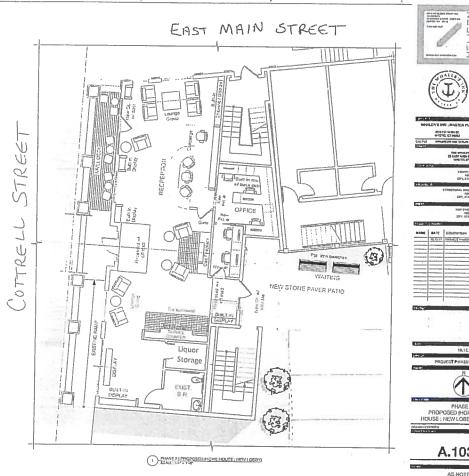
The Planning & Zoning Commission may waive one or more of the above application documents by majority vote, provided that such request is made in writing at the time of application submission, describing in sufficient detail why such information is not relevant to the Special Use Permit application. This wavier shall not apply to application fees. If an application lacks information required by these Regulations, including waivers that have not been requested and justified, such deficiencies shall be noted in the staff report to the Commission, a copy of which shall be provided to the applicant. Incomplete applications risk denial.

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Permit Type	Application Number	Permit Address	Owner Name	Applicant Name	Application Decision	Approval Date	Notes
Certificate of Variance	C0V77-799	12 East Main St.	Whale In Enterprises, Inc.	Whale In Enterprises, Inc.	Approved	3/8/1977	Variance to permit the sale of liquor within a restaurant less than 1,000' of a church.
Special Use Permit	SUP78	E. Main & Cottrell Sty.	Whale In Enterprises, Inc.	Whale In Enterprises, Inc.	Approved	12/19/1978	SUP for an 8-unit hotel addition and a restaurant with food services on premises.
Certificate of Variance	COV00-25	20 East Main Street	Whalers Inn Inc.	Whalers Inn Inc.	Approved	08/08/2000	ZRS.2.1 F.A.R. Requirement & 7.10.4 Parkin to allow demolition of existing photo shop & existing kitchen in order to build 3-story bid for retail on 1st fil. & 8 hotel rooms above.
Certificate of Variance	COV00-32	20 East Main Street	Whalers Inn Inc.	Whalers Inn Inc.	Approved	10/10/2000	ZR7.7.8.2.2.1 Non-Residential Construction (Provisions for Flood Hazard Reduction) to reduce 1st. Fl. elevation to 10° NGVD from Town resultament of 11°.
Cortificate of Variance	COV76-746	20 East Main St.	Barksdale R. & Dorothea M. Macbeth	Barksdale R. & Dorothea M. Hacbeth	Danied	07/20/1976	Seeking a variance to allow placement of a sign projecting 3' from building.
Certificate of Variance	COV93-36	20 East Main St.	The Whaler's Inn / Café Bravo	The Whaler's Inn / Café Bravo	Denled	10/12/1993	Overturn Cease & Desist Order #9324 statin that parking fot sign is in violation of special use permit for Brave Brave Restaurant.
Special Use Permit	SUP01-04	7 Cottrell St.	Whalers Inn	Whalers Inn	Approved w/Stipulations	02/20/2001	Construct a 3-story building for retail/hotel
Special Use Permit	SUP91-20	20 East Main St.	Dorethea MacBeth	Carol Kanabis	Approved w/Stipulations	06/18/1991	Liquor permit for consumption on premises of existing restaurant (Brave Brave).
Special Use Permit	SUP07-11	17-19 & 20 East Main St.	C. George Kanabis	Angela Kanabis / Bravo Bravo, LLC	Approved w/Stipulations		existing restaurant (brave brave). SUP to expand existing restaurant sealing capacity by 20 seats, supported by availabilit of an additional 5 parking spaces.
Zone Change	ZC97-22	East Mein St. & Cottrell St.	Planning & Zoning Commission		Withdrawn	08/19/1997	Zoning map amendment
Zoning Permit	ZON04-183	20 East Main St	Whalers Inn, Inc	Angela Kanabis	Approved w/Stipulations		PZC Consent Agenda: Expand dining room/ba area by 370sf. No increase in seating.
Consent Agenda Item	CA107-11	20 East Main St.	C. George Kanabis	Angela Kanabis / Bravo Bravo, LLC	Approved		PZC Consent Agenda: Request approval for change to previously approved Special Use Permit for the expansion of restaurent
	*						seating. Change is for the addition of outdoor seating (24 seats) on property to be leased from the State of Connecticut.
Coning Permit	ZON17-188	20 East Main Street	Whalers Inn RE LLC	Theodore M. Ladwig	Approved		Modify PZ0711SUP (V523 P820): reduce restaurant Interior seating from 80 to 60 seats.
loning Permit	ZON17-272	20 East Main Street	Per Hejdenreich / Whalers Inn RE LLC	Theodora M. Ladwig	Approved w/Stipulations		PZC AR: Change of use: convert retail to hot lobby and meeting space.









## IMPACT STATEMENT WHALER'S INN – BEER & WINE SALES 20 EAST MAIN STREET

### 8.8.1.1 General description of existing conditions including, but not limited to, environmental features, traffic, zoning, character of the area and public utilities.

The subject property lies at the corner of East Main Street and Cottrell Street in Mystic and is located in a Development Area (DB-5) District. The subject property is occupied by a historic hotel consisting of several buildings spread across a 0.77 acre parcel which is served by paved off-street parking. The hotel is currently undergoing internal renovations, including the construction of a new 1,428 s.f. lobby area. The existing restaurant within the hotel (Bravo Bravo) is anticipated to relocate across East Main Street later this year. The subject property has direct access to both East Main Street and Cottrell Street and is served by all public utilities.

## 8.8.1.2 Description of the proposed activity and its expected impact in reference to the natural environment, stormwater drainage, roadways and traffic, zoning and character of the surrounding area.

The application entails the addition of beer and wine sales limited to the new lobby area of the hotel. The subject property is located in a Development Area (DB-5) District where liquor sales are allowed by Special Permit pursuant to Section 4.1.3.10. There is no proposed bar area within the lobby and beer and wine service will be provided directly by hotel staff to hotel guests. Alcoholic beverages will not be permitted to leave the lobby area and will not be permitted to be taken to individual rooms or other areas of the hotel premises, consistent with state liquor law. Storage of beer and wine will be provided in a separate lockable area within the lobby. No amplified live entertainment is proposed with this application and no other exterior or interior modifications are proposed to the hotel. There is no anticipated impact to the natural environment, stormwater drainage, roadways and traffic, zoning or character of the surrounding area.

### 8.8.1.3 Proposed mitigation measures, defined as strategies intended to minimize both on-site and offsite impacts caused by the proposed development. The timing for implementation of mitigation measures should be clearly specified, along with the name and contact information for the party responsible for such measures.

There are no anticipated adverse impacts to be minimized or mitigated as part of this application. Alcoholic beverage service will be limited to beer and wine only and will be restricted to the lobby area of the hotel.

## 8.8.1.4 Anticipated demand on utilities and public facilities including sewers or sanitary disposal, existing drainage systems, water supply and fire protection. The Commission may require such information incorporated into the findings of fact or placed on the Site Plan.

There are no anticipated changes to demand on public utilities or services associated with this application.

### 8.8.1.5 Existing and proposed hours of operation for each use on the site.

The legal hours of alcohol service for on-premises consumption are controlled by state liquor law (9:00 a.m. - 1:00 a.m. Monday - Thursday, 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 a.m. Friday - Saturday, and 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 a.m. Sunday) but the hotel will voluntarily restrict all alcoholic beverage sales after 10 p.m. daily.

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